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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.112

Sir:

In reply to the non-final Office Action dated April 27, 2005 (for which the period for reply has been extended until August 27, 2005 -- a Saturday), the following remarks are submitted under 37 C.F.R. §1.111. In view of these, Applicants request reconsideration and further examination culminating in a Notice of Allowability.

Applicants hereby petition under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for a one (1) month extension of time in which to respond to the outstanding Office Action and includes a fee as set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a) with this response for such extension of time.

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